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Attorney Docket No.: 2003\_1557A

First Named Inventor : Atsushi WATANABE et al.

Title: BATTERY PACK AND PROCESS FOR THE PRODUCTION THEREOF

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 Power of Attorney11.  English Translation Document (if applicable)12.  Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449  
 Copies of IDS Citations13.  Preliminary Amendment14.  Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (Should be specifically itemized)15.  Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)  
(if foreign priority is claimed)16.  Request and Certification under 35 U.S.C. 122 (b)(2)(B)(i).

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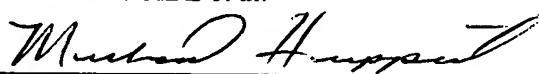
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